



**Maryland Sustainable Growth Commission Meeting  
May 23, 2016**

**12:00- 12:45 pm**

**Tour of Downtown Cumberland – Baltimore Street**

Starting at Allegany Museum  
3 Pershing Street  
Cumberland, Maryland 21502

**1:00 - 4:00 pm**

Commission Meeting  
Allegany Museum  
**Agenda**

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- I. Welcome and Opening Remarks – Commissioner Bill Valentine, President, Allegany County Board of Commissioners
  - II. Introduction of New Members
  - III. Overview of Allegany and Garrett Counties and City of Cumberland
    - David Dorsey, Allegany County Planning Coordinator
    - Angie Patterson, Allegany County Land Use & Planning Engineer
    - Debbie Carpenter, Garrett County Director of Planning
    - Paul Edwards, Garrett County Board of Commissioners, President
    - Shawn Hershberger, Cumberland Economic Development Corporation, Executive Director
  - IV. Administrative Matters and Updates
    - 2016 Schedule of Growth Commission Meetings
    - 2016 Sustainable Growth Awards – Vote on Committee Recommendations
    - Planning for the 2017 Sustainable Growth Awards
  - V. Reinvest Maryland: Next Steps – *Kristen Mitchell, Planning*
  - VI. Maryland's Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC)  
Economic Development / Redevelopment Efforts – *Bill Atkinson, Planning*
  - VII. Commission Members' Preference Survey Results & Discussion – *Chuck Boyd, Planning*
  - VIII. Workgroup Updates
    - Education Workgroup
    - Rural Economies Workgroup
  - IX. Public Comments

**\*\*Next Meeting: July 25, 2016 1:00 - 4:00 PM**

Caroline County - Denton Town Hall, Council Meeting Room, 2nd Fl., 4 N. Second St., Denton, MD 21629